GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Agriculture & Cooperation Department-Sri T. Vijay Kumar, Advisor to Government- Participation in Multi- Stakeholder workshop of International experts on Agro ecology from 8th to 10th October, 2018 at FAO Headquarters in Rome-Permission –Accorded-Orders- Issued.

AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (AGRI.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 631 Dated: 31-08-2018.

Read:

From the Advisor to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department, Lr. Dated:30.08.2018.

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ORDER:

In the letter read above, the Advisor to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh has informed that he has been invited by Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) of the United Nations to participate in a multi-stakeholder workshop from 8th to 9th October 2018 at FAO Headquarters in Rome. The multi-stakeholder workshop builds on the 2nd International Symposium on Agroecology held in April 2018, in which Andhra Pradesh Zero Budget Natural Farming (APZBNF) initiative was showcased as one of the 30 global Innovations. The F.A.O has requested the Advisor to stay back on 10th October, for further discussions with Senior officers of F.A.O. The Government of A.P's scaling up of climate resilient Z.B.N.F. has caught the imagination of the International Community. They would like to hear about the A.P.Z.B.N.F. programme and draw lessons for taking the Agroecology movement worldwide. One of the key objectives of the workshop is to establish a technical expert group with leading thinkers and key partners and coordinate efforts to build the evidence base on Agroecology, for scaling up.

2. The Advisor to Government has further informed that, FAO is financing the travel and accommodation. The entire expenditure is being borne by F.A.O. He will reach Rome on 7th October and schedule his departure from Rome on 11th October, 2018, after the conclusion of the 2 day symposium and oneday follow up meeting.

3. The Advisor to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department, has requested the Government to issue formal orders for enabling him to participate in this visit to F.A.O., Rome.

4. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby accord permission to Sri T. Vijay Kumar, Advisor to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department to participate in a multi-stakeholder workshop at FAO Headquarters in Rome from 8th to 10th October and the entire expenditure shall be borne by F.A.O.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (AGRI) (FAC)

To
Sri T. Vijay Kumar, Advisor to Government,
Agriculture & Cooperation Department,
Government of A.P.

Copy to:-
The P.S. to Special Chief Secretary to Government (Agri.)(FAC).
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